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Amend "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," and the Acts continuing the temporary provisions of the same. A.D. 1869.

WHEREAS by "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," it was, amongst other, enacted, that the offices of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries, appointed under the provisions of the said Act, and all powers, rights, and privileges pertaining thereto, should continue in force for two years only, and from thenceforth until the end of the next session of Parliament, and that on the determination of the office of the said special commissioners all powers and duties transferred to, vested in, or imposed on them by the said Act should be transferred to and vested in two permanent inspectors of fisheries, to be appointed by and to be subject to the control of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland:

And whereas by the several Acts mentioned in the schedule to this Act annexed the duration of the office of the said special commissioners was from time to time continued until the first day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine:

And whereas Her Majesty, by warrant under the royal sign manual, bearing date the thirteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, did revoke and determine the appointment of the persons who then were "the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries:"

And whereas doubts have arisen as to whether the power of appointing permanent inspectors of fisheries in the manner provided by the said "Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," can now be exercised:

And whereas it is expedient to remove such doubts and also to amend "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," and the Acts continuing the temporary provisions of the same:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

[Bill 56.]

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A.D. 1869.

Short Title.

1. This Act may be cited for all purposes as "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1869."

Power to appoint two permanent inspectors.

2. From and after *the passing of this Act* it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to appoint two permanent inspectors of fisheries, notwithstanding anything in the said "Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," and the Acts mentioned in the schedule to this Act annexed, to the contrary; and when any vacancy shall in any manner arise in the office of such inspector it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant to appoint a person to fill such vacancy.

Powers of commissioners transferred to inspectors.

3. All powers and duties transferred to, vested in, or imposed upon the said Special Commissioners under and by virtue of "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," shall be transferred to and vested in the inspectors of fisheries appointed under this Act.

Lord Lieutenant, with consent of Treasury, to fix salaries, &c. and appoint additional officers.

4. It shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, with the approval of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, to fix such salaries as he may think fit for the inspectors appointed under this Act, and also, with the like approval, to appoint such additional officers, clerks, and servants, at such salaries as he may think proper and necessary, and from time to time to dismiss such officers, clerks, and servants, and appoint others in their place.

SCHEDULE.

Expiring Laws Continuance Act, 1865.
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To amend "The Salmon Fishery (Ireland) Act, 1863," and the Acts continuing the temporary provisions of the same.

(Prepared and brought in by Mr Attorney General for Ireland and Mr Chichester Fortescue.)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed, 16 March 1869.

[Bill 56.]

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